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For: BONDING PAD STRUCTURE) ATTORNEY DOCKET: JC-7265-C
Applicant: Kun-Chih Wang) OFFICE ACTION MAILING DATE:
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In response to the Office Action dated February 19, 2002, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please substitute the following clean copy text claims for the pending claims of the number.

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1. (Amended) A bonding pad structure, comprising:
a substrate having at least a device section and a non-device section;
a bonding pad layer above the substrate;